

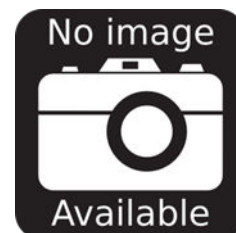
NEEDLECRAFT & HOME ARTS

DEPARTMENT Q




SUPERINTENDENT
ALICE ELISON
208-681-7266

ENTERING: Friday, August 22.....11:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.
Saturday, August 23.....11:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
RELEASED: Sunday, September 7.....10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.



ASST. SUPERINTENDENT
ANGELEN PARRISH
208-346-2209

AUGUST/SEPTEMBER 2025						
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
August 17 th	18 th	19 th	20 th	21 st	22 nd ENTERING: 11:00 am to 8:00 pm	23 rd ENTERING: 11:00 am to 5:00 pm
24 th	25 th	26 th	27 th	28 th	29 th EISF BEGINS!	30 th EISF PARADE @ 10:00 a.m.
31 st	September 1 st LABOR DAY Premium Payouts 10 am – 6 pm	2 nd Premium Payouts 10 am – 6 pm	3 rd Premium Payouts 10 am – 6 pm	4 th Premium Payouts 10 am – 6 pm	5 th Premium Payouts 10 am – 6 pm	6 th EISF ENDS! Premium Payouts 10 am – 6 pm
7 th Premium Payouts 10 am – 4 pm RELEASED: 10:00 am to 4:00 pm	8 th Premium Payouts 8:30 am – 7 pm <i>@ Photography Dept. Building</i>	9 th Premium Payouts 8:30 am –4:30 pm @ EISF Main Office				

ENTRY FORMS & INFORMATION: Available online at www.funatthefair.com and select the **EXHIBITORS & COMPETITORS** button on the home page then scroll down to find your specific department. You may also contact the Eastern Idaho State Fair, 97 Park Street, PO Box 250, Blackfoot, ID 83221; email entries@funatthefair.com; or call EISF Office at 208-785-2480.

ENTRY DATES:

- Friday, August 22, 2025, from 11:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.
- Saturday, August 23, 2025, from 11:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
 - *No exhibits will be received after these hours*

ENTRY FEES:

- ADULT CLASSES – \$1.00 each for the first 4 items or \$5.00 per sheet
- YOUTH CLASSES – \$1.00 each for the first 4 items or \$5.00 per sheet

ENTRY LOCATION: Needlecraft Building #14 - please enter thru the west door –parking in Carnival Lot, enter Fairgrounds thru Maple Street Gate No. 8 only.

- NO PARKING ON ROADWAY IN FRONT OF NEEDLECRAFT BUILDING.
- NO EMPLOYEE PARKING ON FAIRGROUNDS, please park on Park Street or Maple Street.

ENTRY FORM/TAGS:

- Entry Forms are available online and/or will be available at time of entering.
- There will NOT be any entry tags given out prior to entry day.
- Entry tags will be printed during entry process.

RELEASE DATE:

- Sunday, September 7, 2025, from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. **(NO EXCEPTIONS)**
 - The fair will not be responsible for articles left after 4:00 p.m. on Sunday, September 7, 2025. There will be a Storage Fee on ALL entries left after the third week of September. The charge will be \$20 per week. All entries not picked up will be disposed of 30 days after completion of Fair.

CASH PREMIUMS: will be available at Park Street-Payout Window, west of Main Gate No. 1.

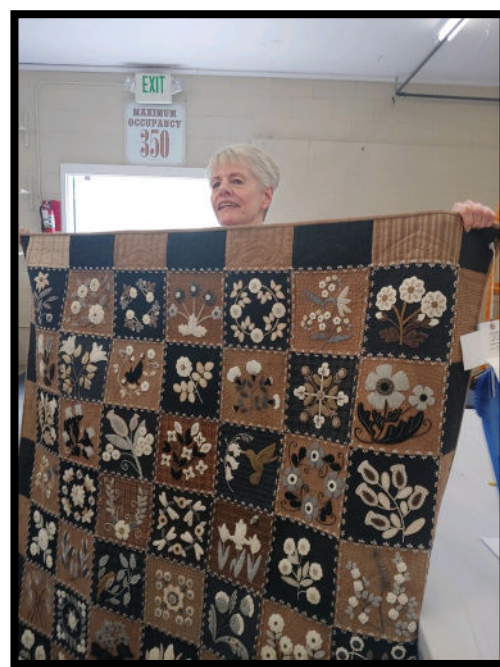
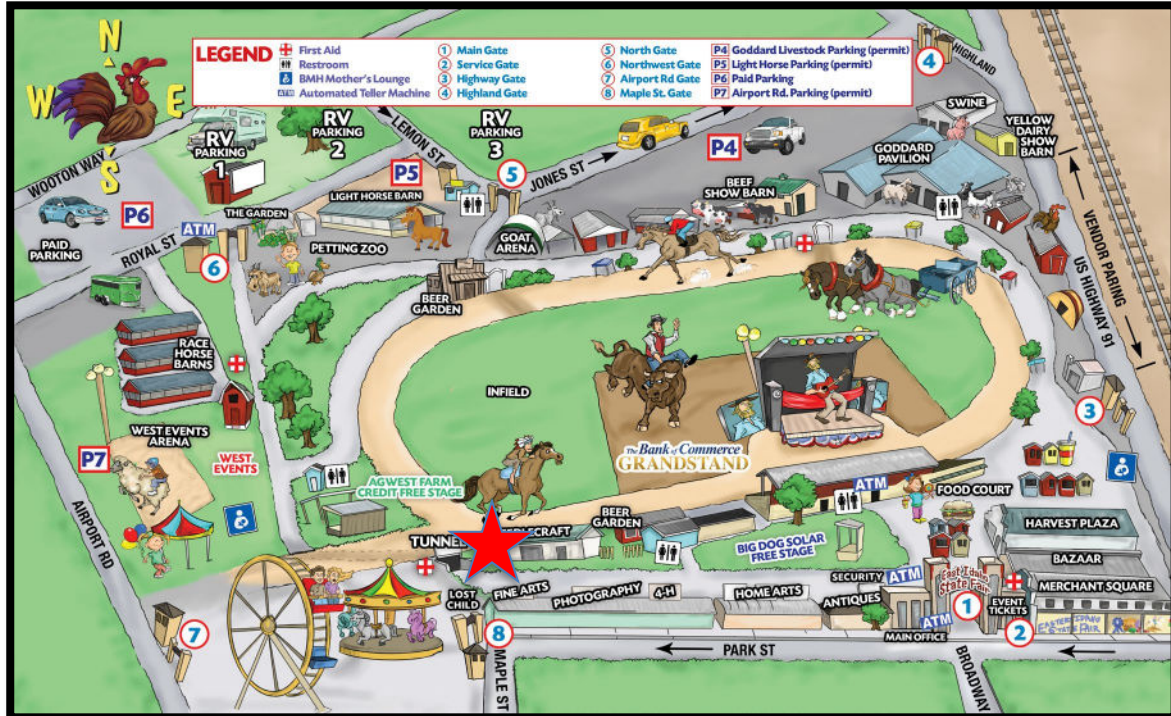
- Monday, September 1 through Saturday, September 6, 2025, from 10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.
- Sunday, September 7, 2025, from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.
- Monday, September 8, 2025, from 8:30 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. at the Photography Dept. Bldg.
- After September 9, 2025, awards will be given out only during regular office hours and may be picked up at the E.I.S.F. Main Office, hours are 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. with lunch from 12:00 p.m. to 1:00 p.m. E.I.S.F. Main Office will also be closed on Friday, September 12, 2025, at 3:00 p.m. and will be closed on Monday, September 15, 2025, all day to observe the Labor Day Holiday for office employees. ***Premiums not claimed by September 30, 2025, will be considered a donation, and will revert to the EISF General Fund.***

SPECIAL DEPARTMENT RULES:

- A. Articles winning prizes at the Eastern Idaho State Fair in previous years are not eligible for entry again.
- B. Only one article in a class will be accepted from any one exhibitor.
- C. Every article entered must be entirely the work of the exhibitor, except quilts and pictures. Quilts may be hand or machine quilted by another person and pictures may be matted/framed by another. Quilts submitted in appropriate categories may be made by a group or completed by another.
- D. Doilies or other articles of needlework should NOT be mounted on cardboard or other material.
- E. Non-Specified classes are only for items which fit in a category, but no individual class exists.
- F. Articles entered must be completely finished and ready for display.
- G. Pictures must be framed or mounted and suitable for hanging on pegboard.
- H. Items submitted by an exhibitor may be placed in a more suitable class or department by the superintendent or a judge.
- I. No premium will be paid if no competition exists – a competition consists of a minimum of three (3) or more entries in a single department class.
- J. Awards will be made according to the merits of the entry. If the judge decides an entry is not worthy of 1st place, the judge may disqualify the entry or the judge can choose to award 2nd place, 3rd place, or 4th place premiums, this is at the judge's discretion.
- K. If there is no competition for an entry, but the judge still deems that the entry would have been worthy of a blue ribbon it can still be considered for any Department Special Awards.

- L. “Best of Show – Large Quilt” (Double, Queen, King) **cannot** be made from a kit.
- M. Only one of each placing in any one class will be awarded, unless otherwise specified in Department Special Rules.
- N. **ADDITIONAL INSTRUCTIONS:** See “EASTERN IDAHO STATE FAIR 2025 GENERAL RULES”.

PLEASE PARK IN CARNIVAL PARKING LOT OR ON PARK STREET, DO NOT BLOCK DRIVEWAY IN FRONT OF NEEDLECRAFT BUILDING.



DIVISION A - QUILTS

QUILT SIZES (Approximate)

Large Quilts, Double, Queen, King.....85" x 85" up to 120" x 120"

Small Quilts, Twin, Throw...50" x 60" up to 72" x 90"

Baby Quilts30" x 40" up to 45" x 60"

Quilts to be considered for Spectator's Choice must be at least 74 inches long

Premium Classes Division A: 1st place \$10.00; 2nd place \$8.00; 3rd place \$6.00

HAND QUILTED – LARGE QUILTS 85" x 85" up to 120" x 120"

1. Pieced – Easy
2. Pieced – Difficult
3. Vintage – over 50 years old, need not be exhibited by the one who made it
4. Not Specified - No available class where item would normally be entered

MACHINE QUILTED – LARGE QUILTS 85" x 85" up to 120" x 120"

10. Pieced – Easy (basic block patterns, half square triangles)
11. Pieced – Intermediate (flying geese, easy curved piecing)
12. Pieced – Difficult (including Lone Star, Double Wedding Ring, etc.)
13. Hand Appliqué
14. Machine Appliqué
15. Foundation Piecing (paper piecing, etc.)
16. Hand Embroidery
17. Machine Embroidery
18. Combined Pieced and Appliqué
19. Holiday
20. Seasonal (Spring, Summer, Winter, Fall)
21. Not Specified - No available class where item would normally be entered



HAND QUILTED – SMALL QUILTS 50" x 60" up to 72" x 90"

30. Pieced – Easy
31. Pieced – Difficult
32. Appliqué
33. Not Specified - No available class where item would normally be entered

MACHINE QUILTED - SMALL QUILTS 50" x 60" up to 72" x 90"

40. Pieced – Easy (basic block patterns, half square triangles)
41. Pieced – Intermediate (flying geese, pinwheels, easy curved piecing)
42. Pieced – Difficult (lone, star, double wedding ring, complex piecing)
43. Hand Appliqué
44. Machine Appliqué
45. Foundation Pieced
46. Hand Embroidery
47. Machine Embroidery
48. Combined Appliqué and Pieced
49. Holiday
50. Seasonal (Spring, Summer, Falls, and Winter)
51. Not Specified - No available class where item would normally be entered



SPECIAL CATEGORIES MACHINE QUILTED QUILTS 50" x 60" UP TO 120" x 120"

60. Patriotic
61. Beginner's Very First Full Sized Quilt
62. Panel with Piecing
63. Old top recently quilted (please submit a short story with quilt)
64. Quilt – made by a group (5 or more people)
65. Long Arm Quilted (judged 50 percent on quilting done by exhibitor)
66. Home Machine Quilted (judged 50 percent on quilting done by exhibitor)
67. Not Specified - No available class where item would normally be entered

BABY QUILTS – HAND QUILTED 30" X 40" up to 45" x 60"

70. Pieced – Easy
71. Pieced – Intermediate
72. Appliqué
73. Not Specified - No available class where item would normally be entered

BABY QUILTS – MACHINE QUILTED 30" X 40" up to 45" x 60"

80. Pieced – Easy
81. Pieced – Intermediate
82. Appliqué
83. Not Specified - No available class where item would normally be entered

MINI QUILTS – HAND QUILTED

- **Size must be smaller than other available categories)**
 - **(Must be a scaled down version of a bed quilt)**
90. Pieced
 91. Foundation Pieced
 92. Wool
 93. Not Specified – No available class where item would normally be entered

MINI QUILTS – MACHINE QUILTED

- **Size must be smaller than other available categories)**
 - **(Must be a scaled down version of a bed quilt)**
100. Pieced
 101. Foundation Pieced
 102. Wool
 103. Not Specified - No available class where item would normally be entered

OTHER QUILTS

110. Levi
111. Tied Cotton Pieced
112. Art Quilt
113. Not Specified - No available class where item would normally be entered (including T-Shirt & Rag)

HAND QUILTED WALL HANGINGS

- **Less than 45" x 60"**
120. Pieced
 121. Appliqué
 122. Not Specified - No available class where item would normally be entered

MACHINE QUILTED - WALL HANGINGS

- **Less than 45" x 60"**
- 140. Pieced
- 141. Hand Embroidery
- 142. Any Holiday
- 143. Seasonal
- 144. Patriotic
- 145. Foundation Pieced
- 146. Machine Embroidery
- 147. Art
- 148. Not Specified - No available class where item would normally be entered

HAND QUILTED - HOUSEHOLD ACCESSORIES

- 160. Table Runner – Pieced
- 161. Table Runner – Appliqué
- 162. Table Topper
- 163. Table Runner – Any Holiday
- 164. Place Mats (minimum of 2)
- 165. Not Specified - No available class where item would normally be entered



MACHINE QUILTED - HOUSEHOLD ACCESSORIES

- 170. Table Runner – Pieced
- 171. Table Runner – Appliqué
- 172. Table Topper
- 173. Holiday
- 174. Place Mats (minimum of 2)
- 175. Christmas Tree Skirt
- 176. Not Specified - No available class where item would normally be entered

WEARABLE ART AND OTHER ACCESSORIES

- 180. Quilted Bag or Tote
- 181. Any Other Bag or Tote
- 182. Bag with zipper
- 183. Bag made from recycled materials
- 184. Items made from recycled materials
- 185. Not Specified - No available class where item would normally be entered

WOOL ITEMS

- 190. Quilt with Wool
- 191. Table Mat with Wool
- 192. Table Runner with Wool
- 193. Wall Hanging with Wool
- 194. Seasonal Wool Item
- 195. Holiday Wool Item
- 196. Wool with Embroidery
- 197. Framed Wool Item
- 198. Not Specified - No available class where item would normally be entered

BLOCK CONTEST

Premium Classes: 200 - 202: 1st place \$25.00; 2nd place and 3rd place Special Prize

- **Colors: RED, WHITE & BLUE**
- **12 ½ inch UNFINISHED BLOCK**
- **Pieced or Appliqué**
- **Block will not be returned**
- **\$1.00 entry fee, only one block per person accepted**

- 200. Junior – Ages up to 12
- 201. Intermediate – Ages 13 to 18
- 202. Adult – Ages 19 to 105

DIVISION B - AFGHANS

Premium Classes Division B: 1st place \$8.00, 2nd place \$6.00, 3rd place \$4.00

****ITEMS MUST BE CLEAN****

AFGHANS - KNITTED

- 230. Knitted
- 231. Knitted with Panels
- 232. Knitted with Ripple
- 233. Knitted Cable
- 234. Not Specified - No available class where item would normally be entered

AFGHANS - CROCHETED

- 240. Block Pattern
- 241. Ripple Crochet
- 242. Crochet Ripple Variation
- 243. Granny Squares
- 244. Granny Square Variation
- 245. Corner to Corner
- 246. Single Crochet
- 247. Double Crochet
- 248. Afghan Stitch
- 249. Multi Stitch (combination of several different stitches)
- 250. Crochet in strips
- 251. Shell Stitch
- 252. Not Specified - No available class where item would normally be entered



BABY AFGHANS - KNITTED

Approximately 36 x 36 inches – Larger size must be obviously for a baby.

- 260. Knitted
- 261. Knitted with Cable Stitch
- 262. Knitted with Panels
- 263. Knitted Ripple
- 264. Not Specified - No available class where item would normally be entered

BABY AFGHANS - CROCHET

Approximately 36 x 36 inches - Larger size must be obviously for a baby.

- 270. Crochet Ripple
- 271. Granny Squares
- 272. Single Crochet
- 273. Double Crochet
- 274. Multi Stitch
- 275. Shell Stitch
- 276. Not Specified - No available class where item would normally be entered

DIVISION C – KNITTED CLOTHING

Premium Classes Division C: 1st place \$8.00, 2nd place \$6.00, 3rd place \$4.00

- **ITEMS MUST BE CLEAN**
- **KNITTED ITEMS THAT ARE A SET MUST BE ENTERED AS A SET.**

BIRTH to 2 YEARS SIZE

- 280. Bonnet or Hat
- 281. Booties
- 282. Baptismal or Blessing Outfit
- 283. Dress
- 284. Knitted Set (2 or 3 pieces)
- 285. Sweater or Jacket
- 286. Not Specified - No available class where item would normally be entered

3 YEARS to 14 YEARS OLD SIZE

- 290. Sweater or Jacket
- 291. Hat
- 292. Slippers
- 293. Socks
- 294. Not Specified - No available class where item would normally be entered

ADULT SIZE

- 300. Bonnet or Hat
- 301. Fair Isle
- 302. Scarf
- 303. Shawl
- 304. Slippers
- 305. Socks
- 306. Stole or Poncho
- 307. Sweater
- 308. Not Specified - No available class where item would normally be entered

DIVISION D – CROCHETED CLOTHING

Premium Classes Division D: 1st place \$8.00, 2nd place \$6.00, 3rd place \$4.00

- **ITEMS MUST BE CLEAN**
- **CROCHETED ITEMS THAT ARE A SET MUST BE ENTERED AS A SET**

BIRTH to 2 YEARS OLD SIZE

- 310. Booties
- 311. Baptismal/Blessing Outfit - Boy or Girl
- 312. Dress or Romper
- 313. Set - 2 or 3 items
- 314. Bonnet or Hat
- 315. Receiving Blanket with crocheted edge
- 316. Burp Cloth with crocheted edge
- 317. Not Specified - No available class where item would normally be entered



3 YEARS to 14 YEARS OLD SIZE

- 320. Hat
- 321. Scarf
- 322. Sweater or Jacket
- 323. Not Specified - No available class where item would normally be entered

ADULT SIZE

- 330. Hat
- 331. Poncho, Stole, or Vest
- 332. Scarf
- 333. Sweater or Jacket
- 334. Not Specified - No available class where item would normally be entered

FINE NEEDLE WORK

Including Tatting, hardanger, Bobbin Lace or Similar Skill

- 340. Doily
- 341. Book Marker
- 342. Not Specified - No available class where item would normally be entered

DIVISION E - SEWN CLOTHING

Premium Classes Division E: 1st place \$8.00, 2nd place \$6.00, 3rd place \$4.00

- **ITEMS MUST BE CLEAN**
- **MADE FROM KNIT OR WOVEN FABRIC**

BIRTH to 6 YEARS OLD SIZE

- 350. Bib
- 351. Party Dress or Boy's Dress Outfit
- 352. Casual Dress
- 353. Baptismal / Blessing Dress or Romper
- 354. Skirt
- 355. Shorts/Pants
- 356. T-Shirt
- 357. Pajamas/Sleeper
- 358. Not Specified - No available class where item would normally be entered

7 to 14 YEARS OLD SIZE

- 360. T-Shirt
- 361. Dress
- 362. Sleep Wear
- 363. Coat or Jacket
- 364. Skirt
- 365. Shorts or Pants
- 366. Woven Shirt or Top
- 367. Not Specified - No available class where item would normally be entered

ADULT SIZE

- 370. Dress
- 371. Formal
- 372. Wedding Dress
- 373. Men's Shirt
- 374. Woman's Top
- 375. Jacket or Coat
- 376. Skirt
- 377. Costume
- 378. Vest
- 379. Apron
- 380. Not Specified - No available class where item would normally be entered



DIVISION F – HOUSEHOLD FURNISHINGS & TABLE LINENS

Premium Classes Division F: 1st place \$8.00, 2nd place \$6.00, 3rd place \$4.00

PILLOW and PILLOWCASES

- **All Pillowcases need to be entered as a set of 2 (two)**
- 380. Pillowcase set - Hand Embroidery
- 381. Pillowcase set - Machine Embroidery
- 382. Pillowcase set - Crochet Edge
- 383. Pillowcase set - Tatted Edge
- 384. Pillow - Hand Embroidery
- 385. Pillow - Machine Embroidery
- 386. Pillow with Piecing and/or Appliqué
- 387. Not Specified - No available class where item would normally be entered

MISCELLANEOUS HOUSEHOLD FURNISHINGS

- 390. Tea Towels - Hand Embroidery
- 391. Tea Towels - Machine Embroidery
- 392. Knitted or Crocheted Dish Cloth
- 393. Guest Towels - any size
- 394. Pot Holder
- 395. Pin Cushion
- 396. Holiday Object
- 397. Animal/Doll/or Object Knitted, Crocheted or Sewn
- 398. Rug - any technique
- 399. Not Specified - No available class where item would normally be entered



TABLE LINENS (Crochet or Knitted)

- 400. Doily, Crochet up to 15 inches
- 401. Doily, Crochet 15 to 30 inches
- 402. Doily, Knitted
- 403. Tablecloth or Bedspread, Crochet
- 404. Not Specified - No available class where item would normally be entered

DIVISION G – COUNTED CROSS STITCH and WALL HANGINGS

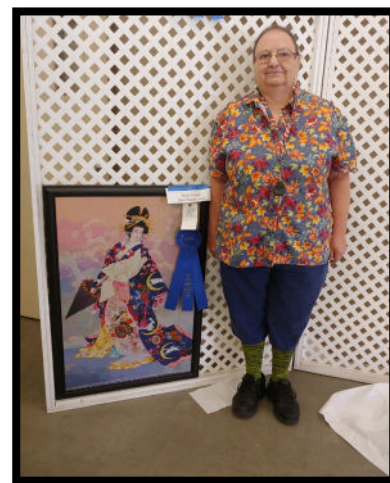
Premium Classes Division G: 1st place \$10.00; 2nd place \$8.00; 3rd place \$6.00

WALL HANGINGS

- Pictures under 100 sq. inches (measured without frame)
 - All entries must be framed or ready to hang.
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410. Aida - Holiday
 411. Aida - Animals
 412. Aida - People
 413. Aida - Sampler (may include sayings, phrases, alphabet)
 414. Aida - Nature (flowers, trees, seascapes, landscapes seasons)
 415. Aida - Fantasy
 416. Linen - Holiday
 417. Linen - Animals
 418. Linen - People
 419. Linen - Sample (may include sayings, phrase, alphabet)
 420. Linen - Nature (flowers, trees, seascapes, landscapes, seasons)
 421. Linen - Fantasy
 422. Not Specified - No available class where item would normally be entered

COUNTED CROSS STITCH PICTURES

- Over 100 square inches (measured without frame)
 - All entries must be framed or ready to hang.
430. Aida - Animal
 431. Aida - People
 432. Aida - Fantasy
 433. Aida - Sampler (may include sayings, phrases, alphabet)
 434. Aida - Holiday
 435. Aida - Nature (flowers, trees, seascapes, landscapes, seasons)
 436. Linen - Animal
 437. Linen - People
 438. Linen - Fantasy
 439. Linen - Sampler (may include sayings, phrases, alphabet)
 440. Linen - Nature (flowers, trees, seascapes, landscapes, seasons)
 441. Not Specified - No available class where item would normally be entered



FRAMED PICTURES AND MISCELLANEOUS CROSS STITCH

450. Hand Embroidery Framed Picture
451. Crewel Embroidery Framed Picture
452. Non-Specified Framed Picture

- 453. Cross Stitch Christmas Stocking
- 454. Cross Stitch Animal or 3-Dimensional Object
- 455. Not Specified Cross Stitch or Other Threadwork- No available class where item would normally be entered

DIVISION H – JUNIOR

BOYS & GIRLS – AGES UP TO 12 YEARS OLD

Premium Classes 480 - 482: 1st place \$10.00; 2nd place \$8.00; 3rd place \$6.00

- **Quilts must be at least 45" x 60"**
- 480. Quilt - Machine Quilted
- 481. Quilt - Tied
- 482. Quilt - Hand Quilted

Premium Classes 483 - 496: 1st place \$5.00; 2nd place \$4.00; 3rd place \$3.00

- 483. Afghan Crochet
- 484. Afghan Knitted
- 485. Crocheted Item other than Afghan
- 486. Knitted Item other than Afghan
- 487. Bag or Tote
- 488. T-shirt
- 489. Sleepwear
- 490. Apron
- 491. Pillow
- 492. Pillowcase (set or single)
- 493. Table Runner
- 494. Shorts, pants, skirt, or sweatpants
- 495. Dress
- 496. Not Specified - No available class where item would normally be entered

BOYS & GIRLS – AGES 13 TO 18 YEARS OLD

Premium Classes 500 - 502: 1st place \$10.00; 2nd place \$8.00; 3rd place \$6.00

- **Quilts must be at least 45" x 60"**
- 500. Quilt - Machine Quilted
- 501. Quilt - Tied
- 502. Quilt - Hand Quilted

Premium Classes 506 - 519: 1st place \$5.00; 2nd place \$4.00; 3rd place \$3.00

- 506. Afghan Crochet
- 507. Afghan Knitted
- 508. Crocheted Item other than Afghan
- 509. Knitted Item other than Afghan
- 510. Bag or Tote
- 511. T-shirt
- 512. Sleepwear
- 513. Apron
- 514. Pillow

- 515. Pillowcase (set or single)
- 516. Table Runner
- 517. Shorts, pants, skirt, or sweatpants
- 518. Dress
- 519. Not Specified - No available class where item would normally be entered

BEST OF SHOW – Quilt Large

(Double, Queen, King)

ROSETTE and \$75.00 premium

Donated by: EASTERN IDAHO STATE FAIR

Rosette will be awarded according to the merits determined by the Judges.

BEST OF SHOW

ROSETTE and \$10.00 premium

Donated by: EASTERN IDAHO STATE FAIR

Best Twin/Throw

Best Baby Quilt

Best Mini Quilt

Best Item with Wool

Best Afghan – Knitted or Crochet

Best Baby Afghan – Knitted or Crochet

Best Hand Knit Wear

Best Crochet Wear

Best Tatted Item

Best Quilted Wall Hanging

Best Quilted Table Runner

Best Sewn Clothing – Birth to 6 years

Best Sewn Clothing – 7 to 14 years

Best Sewn Clothing – Adult

Best Embroidery Item

Best Picture – Aida

Best Picture – Linen

Best Junior (age under 12 years old)

Best Junior (age over 13 years old)

Rosettes will be awarded according to the merits determined by the Judges.

All rosettes may not be awarded.

SUPERINTENDENT AWARD

ROSETTE & \$5.00 AWARD

- (3) DIVISION A – QUILTS
- (1) DIVISION C/D – KNITTING OR CROCHETING
- (1) DIVISION G – COUNTED CROSS STITCH
- (2) DIVISION H – JUNIORS

SPECIAL AWARD

- MOST BLUE RIBBONS in QUILTS
- MOST BLUE RIBBONS in AFGHANS
- MOST BLUE RIBBONS in CLOTHING
- MOST BLUE RIBBONS in COUNTED CROSS STITCH

Rosette only, no monetary award.

Additional prizes may be donated by local merchants & will be awarded by the Superintendent.

SPECTATORS CHOICE

1st place - ROSETTE and \$10.00 PREMIUM

2nd thru 4th – ROSETTE

6 – HONORABLE MENTION ROSETTES

Voting to occur on Wednesday, September 3, 2025.

The EISF Board of Directors will be choosing a

“Directors Choice Best of Show”

Winners will be awarded a Rosette and a \$20.00 premium

Awards will be placed by Sunday, August 31, 2025